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GEORGETOWN AND FORT AUGUSTUS.

Advices from Georgetown state that the most desperate efforts are being made by hangers-on of the Peters Government to secure the election of Messrs. Peters and Jamieson. It appears that we have been wrongly informed, in one particular. Mr. Peters is running, not against the Hon. Daniel Gordon, but against the Hon. A. J. McDonald. We need hardly say that there are no more reasons why Mr. Peters should go out of his way to oppose Mr. McDonald than there are for going out of his way to oppose Mr. Gordon. Mr. McDonald, too, is a resident of the district, and his record too, is consistent and honorable. He, too, knows the people of the district and is in full sympathy with their wants and interests. But anxious about all things for the maintenance of the One-Man Government, and having ulterior designs of his own to further, Mr. Peters must needs himself take the field against Mr. McDonald, when he could persuade no one else to do so. We are informed that the people of the Georgetown district are indignant at Mr. Peters' unexpected interference. They didn't ask Mr. Peters to come to represent them; they have no idea of being used by Mr. Peters; and they treat with contempt the (authorized or unauthorized) promises with which Mr. Peters' canvassers are striving to win them over to Mr. Peters' side. These canvassers declare that if Mr. Peters is only elected a steamer will at once be put upon the Cardigan Ferry; the marshes in the district will all be dyked; a scow with an endless chain attached will be placed on the Grand River, and Mr. Peters' supervisor will expend large amounts on roads and bridges here, there and everywhere throughout the district. When talking to the electors of Fort Augustus, Mr. Peters pretends that he doesn't care to represent Georgetown. It is reported that he even denies that he consented to be nominated in Georgetown. But the worth of these pretences and denials may be judged by the tremendous efforts that his supporters in Georgetown are making to secure his election. Mr. Peters is running for Georgetown as well as for Fort Augustus. But he cannot represent both these districts in the Legislative Assembly. He must, in any case, leave one or the other in the lurch. For the reasons stated yesterday we conclude that he intends to desert Fort Augustus. But we may be wrong. Perhaps he will go back on the electors of Georgetown. There is no certainty about the matter. Neither the electors of Georgetown or the Fort Augustus district care to be fooled; and the surest way to prevent this is for both to reject Mr. Peters, and make sure the election of McLean in Fort Augustus and McDonald in Georgetown.

THE DOUBLE NOMINATION.

The Hon. F. Peters repeated at Mount Stewart, last evening, the denial he made at Fort Augustus on Wednesday respecting his nomination for Georgetown. He knew nothing about that nomination; he hoped that those who did it had paid the nomination fee; and, altogether, treated the matter with derision. It is clear that the electors of either Georgetown or Fort Augustus districts are being deceived. It is impossible to believe—in view of the lavish promises made—that the Georgetown nomination was not seriously made and that the Premier was not cognizant of it. The returning officer could not, under the law, accept any man as a candidate unless the qualification oath was made either by the candidate or his agent as provided by sections 58, 59 and 60 of the election law. Such oath has no doubt been made by Mr. Peters or his agent; otherwise no votes can be taken for Mr. Peters in Georgetown. In view of the one-man power by which the Government is run

it would not be a bad idea for Mr. Peters to set up in all the districts and for all the seats. There is no sense in running a colleague with him in Fort Augustus; for Mr. Cummiskey's beast at the Mount Stewart meeting was that he supported all the measures of the Government in the late House, 'good and bad.' Although others do not so candidly acknowledge the corn, yet they are just as submissive and as subservient as Cummiskey is. By all means, we say, if we are to have "One-Man-Power" in reality, let us have it openly and avowedly.

SIGNIFICANT.

It is significant of the extreme weakness of the One-Man Government that five or six of its most prominent supporters in the last election are now candidates on the part of the Opposition. These independent Liberals represent the discontent of the Liberal party with the autocratic methods of Premier Peters; the deception which has been practiced, and the load of debt and taxation which has been placed upon the shoulders of the people. Such men are not to be humbugged by the mere suggestion that a great amount of money—stated by some of Mr. Peters' agents at \$5,000,000—will be obtained from the Dominion Government upon the bald application for a costly court of arbitration over our claims. The suggestion rests upon nothing tangible. It has never been stated by any member of the Dominion Government that arbitration is necessary or will be permitted. There is nothing definite about the proposition. It is a mere election kite at which the people may stare, but by which they are not to be induced to renew the confidence which Mr. Peters has forfeited.

MR. BELL.

Mr. Peters is followed by a heterogeneous band, including Richards and Jamieson, McNutt and Cummiskey, Farquharson and Haley. But there is no more striking figure, no more wonderful specimen of shuffling inconsistency, in it than Mr. J. H. Bell. Mr. Bell is now the Peters' candidate in the Fourth District of Prince County. Yet he went about the Province a few months ago denouncing Mr. Peters' policy and administration. Mr. Bell's judgment condemns almost every act of one-man Government. But every act of that Government has been supported by his vote. Mr. Bell is a queer fish, a sort of inconsistency incarnate. An electorate having regard for intelligence and propriety will not, now that he is found out, elect him as its representative.

CAMPAIGN NOTES.

Write it down that the independent electors of Prince Edward Island will not sell their votes to Mr. Fred. Peters for a bald promise of \$1,000,000 or \$5,000,000 which it is said will be put into the Provincial Treasury as a result of an arbitration to which the Dominion Government has not consented.

Mr. W. S. Larkin, the new captain of the dredge and late petitioner in the Hackett case, is looking for an elector to pair off with him on election day. This morning he made application to a voter of the Second District of Queen's to refrain from voting for McMillan and Horne and he in turn would remain at the dredge. The elector of the Second District declined Mr. Larkin's offer.

It has got about that Hon. Mr. Farquharson obtained the services of Bat's tug for attendance upon the dredge Prince Edward last fall for \$20 a day and that he charged the Dominion Government \$25 a day making a clear profit out of the taxpayers of \$5 a day. This is not wonderful. Mr. Farquharson always had an eye to the main chance and always looked out first of all for No. 1.

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SCOTT ACT CAMPAIGN.

Last night's meeting was the largest in attendance to far, and the Rev. Dr. McLeod held the attention of the audience to the close. The Rev. D. Sutherland presided, and the Revs. Campbell, Corey, Kirby and E. Bell, of Nashuak, N. B., were on the platform. The ladies had adorned the platform with wild flowers which gave it a far better appearance.

Dr. McLeod commenced his address by referring to his visit to the police court in the morning and to the evidence given in some Scott Act cases by the witnesses. The evidence was of such a character that the Magistrate declared he could not accept one word of it as truth. And this evidence, he said, was given on oath, and by those who favored the repeal of the Scott Act. The reason given why a repeal of the Scott Act is wanted is because it causes so much perjury. He had heard a Chief Justice of the Supreme Court in Ontario say that there was more perjury in cases tried for violation of the license Act than under the Scott Act. The evil was in the rascals demoralized by liquor and the Scott Act only gave a chance for it to come out.

Does license high or low reduce the illicit sale? Not when Fredericton had 30 or 40 licensed taverns there were an equal number of illicit places, but now there are only five or six places where it can be bought. During the hot weather one summer the authorities in Fredericton had two hotel keepers behind prison bars for two months. There is no place under the Heaven so good for a rum-seller as the jail; for the rum seller's own sake, as well as for the sake of those injured by the traffic he would put him in jail and keep him there rather than let him continue the awful business. When Charlottetown had 30 or 60 licensed houses, there were as many unlicensed and yet no one complained of these unlicensed places. He could show 75 names of the leading citizens of Fredericton who say the Scott Act is the best law they ever had. Some ask for high licensed taverns because the seller would then become a detective and prevent the illicit houses. But the fact is there are more than ever of the jug taverns because those high licensed houses supply them and keep them going. Montreal has 1000 licensed saloons, and the chief of police admitted that there might be as high as 4000 unlicensed besides. License increases rather than decreases illicit selling. Omaha was also referred to as a specimen of high license; and there for every fellow who runs a high license place a half dozen smaller ones are run by him and the whole proceeds are reaped in by this man. Because he pays \$1000 license he has an important bearing before the community and is allowed to carry on taverns also unlicensed. Suppose you reverse the law on the 22nd, who would apply for license? Why, the very people who are illicitly selling now. The men of ill-gotten gains may wield some political influence but they are not found among the respectable in social, religious and moral life in the community. They are not for moral reform. It is all right to blame the authorities for non-enforcement of the Act, but don't forget the City Council is of your own making and you could put in a council which could so enforce the Act that the liquor villains would squeak and equal and die. What do you object to in the Scott Act? The sale? Well, in license you will have nothing but selling. The drunken men you now see reeling along are not authorized by the majority of the citizens; but if you repeal the Act then every man you see drink you can only say "Well, we have given authority in that sort of thing." Men of Charlottetown, be men and vote for the boys and the wives and the mothers by voting in favor of the retention of the Scott Act on the 22nd. Be good Samaritans and vote right.

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Keep it before the people:
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That the sun and rain,
And the corn and grain
Are yours and mine, my brother
Free gifts from heaven,
And as freely given
To one as well as another.

Keep it before the people:
That man is the image of God;
Whose limbs or soul
Ye may not control
With shackle or shame or rod—
We may not be sold
For silver or gold,
Neither you nor I, my brother,
For the land was given
Like the Life from heaven,
To one as well as another.

Keep it before the people:
That famine, and crime, and woe,
Forever abide
Still side by side
With luxury's dazzling show;
That Lazarus crawls
From Dives' halls
And starves at his gate, my brother,
Yet the land was given
To man from heaven,
To one as well as another.

Keep it before the people:
That the laborer claims his meed;
The right of all soil,
And the right to toil,
From spurs and bridle freed;
The right to bear,
And the right to share
With you and me, my brother,
What ever is given
By God in heaven
To one as well as another.

—[Anon.]

GREAT MEETING AT RUSTICO.

The meeting last night in the Rustico Hall was attended by about 300 electors, and joy must have come to the heart of every opponent of the Peters Government as he witnessed the unbounded enthusiasm with which the opposition speakers were received.

One thing was apparent enough: Rustico will have nothing to do with either Peters or his candidates. Messrs. Wise, Horne, Farquharson, McMillan, W. S. Stewart, John C. Clarke and Thomas Doyle addressed the electors in turn.

Messrs. Horne and McMillan never appeared to better advantage, and they scored the government right and left for its incompetency, deception and extravagance.

Mr. Stewart's exposure of the boodling in connection with the building of the Hillsborough and his denunciation of the wrong-doing and hypocrisy of the Government in its treatment of the Dominion employes struck the audience with consternation and amazement, and made Farquharson and his satellites hang their heads with shame. It is needless to say that his attack was overwhelming, and so confused and unnerved Mr. Farquharson that he was not able to even read the paper of items of the Hillsborough boodling prepared for him by Mr. Balderson. He simply lost his temper and raved about nothing.

Mr. J. C. Clarke and Mr. Thomas Doyle spoke well and to the point. Mr. Clarke, although a life-long Liberal, could not condone the Government's conduct in connection with the boodling. Mr. Farquharson will never issue another challenge to Mr. Stewart. His bluff didn't take worth a cent.

The meeting closed at a very late hour with three rousing cheers for the People's Candidates, Messrs. Horne and McMillan. Messrs. Farquharson and Wise left for their homes beaten, discomfited and disheartened.

THE FORESTIERS MEET.

Order in Flourishing Condition.—Mr. John T. Hawke Turned Down.

The High Court of the Independent Order of Foresters met at Campbellton, N. B., on Wednesday. There was a full representation of delegates, and the reports of the various officers showed the Order to be in a flourishing condition.

Supreme Secretary McGillivray delivered an able address to the high court. Last year the high court of New Brunswick passed a resolution protesting against his entering parliament while a supreme court officer. He replied to that resolution giving a full explanation of his course and the cause of his entry into politics. There were one or two passages-at-arms between the speaker and J. T. Hawke, and at the close of the speech Mr. Hawke criticised it with some heat, claiming that McGillivray had made personal allusions to him. Mr. Hawke declared that McGillivray's friends stuffed the ballot boxes in North Ontario, and asked if that was in the interests of Forestry.

R. L. Maltby, of Newcastle, called him to order, as did several other Liberals as well as Conservatives, and there was a storm of protest. Mr. Hawke contended that his remarks were justified, but the court, by practically a unanimous vote, adopted the following resolution:

"The high court of New Brunswick hereby expresses its confidence in John A. McGillivray, our supreme secretary, as a man and a Forester, and sincerely thanks him for his admirable, thoughtful and eloquent address upon the principles of our order."

In the evening there was a procession with a band through the principal streets, then a great public meeting in the skating rink.

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An Act to Consolidate and Amend the several Acts Incorporating the City of Charlottetown, ordered and appointed that Wednesday, 14th July, next, be the day set down for hearing all appeals made to him from the preceding Valuation Assessments of rates imposed or authorized by the City Council of the said City, and that on such day and daily thereafter, until all such appeals have been heard, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, in the Police Court, in Charlottetown, aforesaid, all such appeals will be heard and finally determined by him.

Dated this 6th day of July, A. D. 1897.
ROBERT VAN DER STINE,
Collector for said City.

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